

OFFICE OF THE SPECIAL TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN INDIANS
CONTINGENCY PLAN FACT SHEET
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We continue to hope that Congress will reach an agreement to avoid a government shutdown, but we are working to prepare for all possible scenarios. The following fact sheet provides basic information about the Office of the Special Trustee's contingency plans in the event of a government shutdown.

Services and Programs that would remain operational

NAME OF SERVICE/PROGRAM	REASON
Receive and invest trust income	Emergency and/or excepted activity
Maintain system integrity and operability and ensure interfaces with TAAMS, SEI TFAS and Treasury for disbursements.	Emergency and/or excepted activity
Limited communications with beneficiaries thru the Trust Beneficiary Call Center (TBCC)	Emergency and/or excepted activity

Services and programs that would be closed

- Trust Accountability Office
- Field Operations (except limited TBCC operations)
- Office of Trust Services (except limited personnel to receive and invest income)
- Office of Trust Records
- Office of Budget, Finance & Accounting (except those services needed to disburse trust assets)
- Office of Appraisal Services
- Office of Trust Review and Audit
- Office of Historical Trust Accounting
- Office of Information Technology
- Office of External Affairs (Limited staffing)

Key citizen services that would be affected

- Reduced Services thru the Trust Beneficiary Call Center for beneficiaries.
- Slower service for Tribes and Individual Indian Money (ITM) account holders
- No Regional Trust Officer (RTA) or Fiduciary Trust Officer (FTO) assistance at field locations in Indian country.

Employees

- Total agency employees: 674 Employees
- Total employees who would be furloughed: 641 Employees